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EIU PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

CHARLESTON -- Eastern Illinois University recently recognized Sonya Buchanan, Jim Thomas, Charlie McKinney, Suzanna Fairley, Susan Schnarre and Janice Kozak as Civil Service "Employees of the Month" for May through October, respectively.

**Buchanan** is a staff clerk in the registration office where she has worked for seven years. She lives in Charleston with her husband, Aaron, and their two children, Nicole, 8, and Zachary, 2.

**Thomas**, a building services worker assigned to Lantz building, has been at Eastern for 14 years. He lives in Charleston with his wife, Colleen. They have a son, Trent, a lance corporal in the U.S. Marine Corps, stationed in San Diego.

**McKinney**, also a building services worker, has been at Eastern for three years. He lives in Neoga with his wife, Karen, and is a member of the American Legion and the First Christian Church in Neoga. He has a son, Josh McKinney, a sophomore at Lake Land College; a step-daughter, Robbie Wernsing of Effingham; and a step-son, Donnie Mayhew of Macomb.

**Fairley**, catering supervisor in the University Union, has been at Eastern for five years. She lives in rural Charleston with her husband, Clark, and their three daughters: Lyndsay, 9; and twins Lacey and Haley, 2.

**Schnarre**, a clerk typist in student housing, has been at Eastern for seven years. She lives in Charleston with her husband, Tom.

**Kozak** of Charleston, a laborer-electrician in the physical plant, has been at Eastern for seven years, having worked as a secretary to the director of the University Union before assuming her current position. She provided input on the university's Employee Appraisal Development System. She is a member of the Charleston Business and Professional Women.

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**Pat Stein**, associate professor in Eastern's School of Home Economics in the Lumpkin College of Business and Applied Sciences, will join 35 other college and university professors from across the country for C-SPAN's *Winter 1995 Seminar*

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*for Professors* Jan. 9-10 in Washington, DC. The seminar unites professors from disciplines as diverse as political science, journalism, speech, communications and public policy. It will focus on creative ways to use C-SPAN's public affairs programming in the college classroom and in research. Stein was selected through a competitive application process open to all of the 4,500 college-faculty members of *C-SPAN in the Classroom*, the cable television network's free national membership service for educators.